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Docket No.: 392.1681

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Atsushi WATANABE, et al.

Serial No. 09/546,392

Group Art Unit: 2623

Confirmation No. 2369

Filed: April 8, 2000

Examiner: Hesseltine, Ryan J.

For: ROBOT SYSTEM HAVING IMAGE PROCESSING FUNCTION

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 28, 2003, and having a period for response set to expire on April 28, 2003.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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IN THE DRAWINGS:

Figures 4, 8 and 10 have been designated as Prior Art.

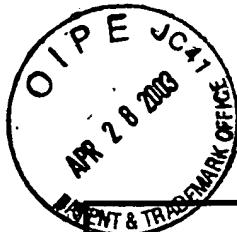
A typographical error has been corrected in Figure 6.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please AMEND the paragraph that begins at page 9, line 13, as follows:

Scanning range (measuring range) on an object is set in advance, and an inclination angle θ_x , θ_y of the mirrors is controlled discretely. As shown in FIG. 8, the scanning is performed from a point (1,1) to a point (1, n), from a point (2,1) to a point (2, n), ... from a point (m, 1) to a point (m, n) on the X-Y plane within the scanning range, to measure three-

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REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

		Attorney Docket No.	392.1681	
		Application Number	09/546,392	
		Filing Date	April 10, 2000	
		First Named Inventor	Atsushi WATANABE, et al.	
		Group Art Unit	2623	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	\$72.00	Examiner Name	Hesseltine, Ryan J.	

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 01/01/03)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	26	- 22 =	4	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 72.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	- 3 =	0	X \$ 84.00 =	0.00

Since an Official Action set an original due date of April 28, 2003, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$410); 3 months (\$930); 4 months (\$1,450); 5 months (\$1,970)):

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Total of above Calculations =

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TOTAL FEES DUE = \$ 72.00

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(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".

(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".

(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

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Deposit Account No.	19-3935
Deposit Account Name	STAAS & HALSEY LLP
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SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

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